

I am writing to urge you (the FCC) to strengthen, or at least retain the current media concentration protections. A handful of big corporations already dominate too much of our culture, and I believe we are all becoming more dull and stupid, suffering more and thinking less, as a direct result. The wealthy in this country--the top 2%--already make too many decisions for us regular people. I fear our country is becoming less and less democratic and more of a plutocracy, a grab-bag for the rich. Please: this Spring (or whenever), please show some backbone, stand up against the Rupert Murdochs and Clear Channels who seek to stifle diverse ownership of the media. Our democracy depends on it.